

AMENDMENT TO THE REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATIONS  
FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND  
WELFARE

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COMMUNICATION

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

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AN AMENDMENT TO THE REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATIONS TRANS-  
MITTED IN THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1967 FOR THE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

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THE WHITE HOUSE,  
Washington, October 11, 1966.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of the Congress an amendment to the request for appropriations transmitted in the Budget for the fiscal year 1967 for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

The details of this amendment, the necessity therefor, and the reasons for its submission at this time are set forth in the attached letter from the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, with whose comments and observations thereon I concur.

Respectfully yours,

LYNDON B. JOHNSON.

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT,  
BUREAU OF THE BUDGET,  
Washington, D.C., October 8, 1966.

THE PRESIDENT,  
The White House.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration an amendment to the request for appropriations transmitted in the budget for the fiscal year 1967 for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, as follows:

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

#### OFFICE OF EDUCATION

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426	<p>Grants for Public Libraries (Delete the above heading and the paragraph thereunder and in lieu thereof insert the following:)</p> <p>Grants for <b>[Public]</b> libraries For grants to the States, pursuant to the Act of June 19, 1956, as amended (20 U.S.C. ch. 16, Public Laws 88-269 and 89-511), <b>[\$55,000,000]</b> <i>\$57,500,000</i>, of which <b>[\$25,000,000]</b> <i>\$27,500,000</i> shall be for grants for public library services under title I of such Act, <b>[and \$30,000,000]</b> <i>\$29,000,000</i> to remain available through June 30, 1968, shall be for grants for public library construction under title II of such Act, and <i>\$1,000,000</i> shall be used for grants to the States for developing State plans for purposes of titles III and IV of such Act, of which <i>\$375,000</i> shall be for developing State plans for purposes of title III, <i>\$375,000</i> shall be for developing State plans for purposes of part A of title IV, and <i>\$250,000</i> shall be for developing State plans for purposes of part B of title IV.</p>

This proposed amendment is necessary to permit States to plan for improvement of library services through (1) establishment of cooperative library networks, (2) expansion of services to inmates, patients, and residents of State institutions, and (3) special programs for the handicapped. Federal support for these activities was authorized in the Library Services and Construction Act Amendments of 1966, Public Law 89-511, approved July 19, 1966.

I recommend that the foregoing amendment be transmitted to the Congress.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES L. SCHULTZE,  
*Director of the Bureau of the Budget.*

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